

SENATE BILL 537

By Haile

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 36
and Title 37, relative to parental rights.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 36-1-113, is amended by deleting
subdivision (g)(6) and substituting:

(6) The parent has been confined in a correctional or detention facility of any
type, by order of the court as a result of one (1) or more criminal acts, under a sentence
of six (6) or more years;

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.